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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of
Lee D. Whetsel

TI-31203.1

Application No. 10/806,546

Art Unit: 2829

Filed: March 23, 2004

Examiner: Jimmy Nguyen

Title: Semiconductor Test System and Method

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136

March 8, 2006

Asst. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) applicant respectfully
petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened
statutory period for response in this application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

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